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Q. REUTERS REPORTED YESTERDAY THAT THE CHAIRMAN OF THE U.N.
COMMITTEE ON APARTHEID, LESLIE HARRIMAN, HAS CHARGED THAT
JAPAN IS IMPORTING RHODESIAN CHROME FOR RE-EXPORT TO THE
UNITED STATES. DO WE HAVE ANY INFORMATION ON THAT?

A. WE ARE AWARE THAT RHODESIAN CHROME IS STILL FINDING ITS

WAY INTO WORLD MARKETS. WE HAVE RECENTLY CONCLUDED AN
AGREEMENT WITH JAPAN PROVIDING FOR CERTIFICATION THAT THEIR
EXPORTS TO THE U.S. OF CHROME AND CHROME-BEARING PRODUCTS
CONTAIN NO CHROME OF RHODESIAN ORIGIN. WE ARE
SATISFIED THAT UNDER THE TERMS OF THAT AGREEMENT, RHODESIAN
CHROME WILL NOT ENTER THE UNITED STATES THROUGH JAPAN.
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